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MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Officer, NIC

FROM: John J. Bird  
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SUBJECT:  Current Operations Watch  
Centers

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1. We support the subject proposal as a productive way to improve analysis of terrorist and narcotics trafficking information in the agency.

2. The large volume of data and the requirement to compare and aggregate numerous reports in a short time period to issue meaningful warnings makes this a potentially very high payoff proposal. It should benefit the entire consumer community as well as the intelligence community.

  
John J. Bird

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